



COMMERCE DEPARTMENTAL LIBRARY



APRIL LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

THIS MONTH'S FEATURED RESOURCES

The Department of Commerce has two major resources for **government staff directories**, both available electronically at your desktop and in print.

CQ Press offers data about staffers in current positions, with each directory allowing users to find carefully indexed names and contact information (email and telephone) for staff in DC, as well as local offices.



Congressional - Locate key decision-makers and support staff that work on important legislative issues. Pinpoint contacts on committees, get detailed state-by-state information on congressional districts, even including election opponents and voting percentages.

Federal - Pinpoint senior officials and top aides working directly with the POTUS and VPOTUS, as well as biographies of cabinet members and top-level officials at independent agencies from the American Red Cross to the Environmental Protection Agency. Also check out the specialized **Homeland Security** edition.

Judicial - Quickly identify judges, clerks, and more on the National, District, and State levels, along with contact information and biographies, PACER numbers and access fees, and circuit information.



Leadership Directories

Leadership Directories, often referred to as the "Yellow books", allows users to search across the spectrum of business, government, media and associations to find leaders in both the *public and private sectors* simultaneously. Listings of both *current and former Congressional and Federal staff* are all available within one platform.

Search by name, or drill down through organizational charts to find individuals holding high-level positions, and their support staff. Other indexes assist in locating departments, agencies and major offices, as well as the smaller bureaus, by subject area or organization. Staff in both Congressional and Executive Branch leadership positions, as well as their support staff, are listed with educational background, work history, and membership in key organizations.

DID YOU KNOW?

- **Wall Street Journal** online is available for free to Commerce employees in HCHB. Access it by clicking above or via the link on the library homepage. Need to look up an old article? WSJ.com has an archive that goes 4 years back and **Proquest** has a WSJ archive back to 1984.
- **HeinOnline** is constantly adding new material, and access is unlimited for employees in HCHB. Check out the recently added **Pentagon Papers** or the always helpful **Federal Register** library, that goes back to its inception in 1936.

LEGISLATIVE & LEGAL COLLECTION X1154 - ROOM 1894

Access via the 8th corridor elevators or from the external entrance at the corner of 15th and Pennsylvania Ave.

BUSINESS & TRADE COLLECTION X5511 - ROOM 1984

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